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Dewey would have the good old ship of state to veer with the caprice of every popular wind that blows.

The first Methodist President the country ever had has proven his doctrine of apostasy beyond further confuting argument.

It is stated on excellent authority that in the event of Dewey capturing the Democratic nomination for President, he will lose no time in deciding it to his wife.

The spirits of the Biblical Samson, and Mark Antony must gloat over the predicament of their modern prototype, George Dewey, in the role of a fool by the grace of a woman.

The Philippine insurgents are pacified again, so says the War Department. But some kindhearted friend request them to stay pacified this time until Nov. 7th, the day after the Presidential election.

Greenville must have been in great and desperate straits for a street railway if she has granted the concessions she is reported to have given to a corporation for that purpose. Live towns like Anderson don't have to surrender all privileges for a little temporary advancement.

The President's "plain duty" of December is now construed under the malign influence of April's inconstant stars to refer to the duty his party owes to the trusts and protected interests and not to the Porto Ricans. We thought there must have been some mistake about that "plain duty" business.

Dewey's recent declaration that brains are not a prerequisite for a President, and his recent announcement for the Presidency as a Democrat in opposition to the policy of imperialism, which he so lately endorsed with such lavish words, would indicate that he is a man of no brains, and that he is a man of no brains.

Reports from the Philippine Islands denote a disappointing result of the United States government in improvement of the sanitary condition of the islands. By comparison with the island of Cuba, the Philippines make a very unfavorable showing in the death rate. The entire outfit over there seems out of joint and thoroughly incapacitated to grasp the full responsibility of a grave situation.

The old protection theory that home competition will reduce prices is entirely nullified by the trust movement. Not only has protection become needless on the basis of the original argument, but it has become, even from the Republican point of view, oppressive by permitting protected trusts to sell their product within the United States at higher prices than they sell it abroad.

The Republicans in Congress are quite willing, in fact, anxious, to resist the ignorant vote in Hawaii, but kick like bull steers against a similar proposition directed against the ignorant vote in the South, which goes to prove that they are not wholly past redemption. In this case they accord to our foreign territory rights and privileges greater than the States themselves enjoy. Poor-to Rico would welcome even equal rights.

"Plain" duty on Porto Rican commerce is the crowning irony of the age, a veritable web of inconsistency and artful deceit, a perfidious hell of dissembling fantasy presided over by the ravaging passion of the god mammon. The fires on the sacrificial altar of the administration dedicated to this duty are never allowed to die. Blood wrung from the hearts of millions of ignorant and trusting people make sweet incense before the great high priest of protection, and, incidentally, imperialism.

An increased appropriation of \$200,000 with which to combat epidemic diseases has been asked for by Secretary Gage, of the Treasury Department. The present appropriation of \$300,000 is now well high exhausted, and it is calculated that a deficit would necessarily occur should yellow fever appear during the month of June. The campaign against yellow jack cannot be started too soon nor prosecuted too vigorously. The full amount asked for by the Surgeon General, \$300,000, should be immediately available to stamp out the first appearance. A stitch in time may save ninety times nine.

The resignation of Assistant Secretary of the Interior, Webster Davis, tendered because of his strong pro-Boer sympathies, may or may not be full of meaning, but those who accuse the administration with secretly aiding the British government in its glorious struggle for subjugation see in it just what the light of reason points, and that is, that no man can hold office under "Uncle Sam" who has an opinion and dares to express it on the shameful warfare of a big British nation upon a weak, defenseless one. The recuser's words do haunt the mind of the guilty conscience so that they sting like a serpent though they are directed against another. Webster Davis will be heard from later and the administration may quake in its boots when the facts are known.

The Congressional report of the armor plate scandal should spur the government up to build its own armor plants. Respectable powers never consent to continuous fleecing after the facts are so apparent.

General Otis, having pacified the Filipinos, hastens home to pacify that public sentiment so dangerous to a politician who seeks re-election to the presidency. Otis' recall (for no one doubts he was recalled) will come about as near pacifying the American voter as Otis himself came to pacifying the Filipino soldier.

Not a little discussion has been excited by the proposition submitted to the City Council at its last regular meeting by the Anderson Water, Light and Power Company for a forty years' franchise for a street railway in the City of Anderson. Inasmuch as a counter-proposition was semi-officially made by Mr. J. J. Fretwell offering \$500 for the franchise, which the first named company begged as a gift, Mr. Fretwell's proposition is the only one eligible for discussion, the other having been practically eliminated. Anderson wants street cars and wants them badly. She wants close connection with the adjacent towns and the populous districts of the County. Within a very few years, it will be a commercial necessity, and consequently, a good paying investment. We do not care, however, to act with such incautious haste that we may incur a mess of pottage; yet, if we grant such sweeping, unsparing and extravagant concessions to any corporation, even for ten times the amount offered by Mr. Fretwell, we shall regret it not ten years hence; and with a more reasonable franchise, based on the most economical and frugal concessions granted by other municipalities, we shall find in twenty years that we have failed to anticipate the true worth of the franchises surrendered for so inconsiderable an equivalent. The city itself has need of these identical franchises and can better afford to do without street cars for twenty years than to be bound hand and foot by an arbitrary agreement with no assurance of but meagre service at best. By carefully and economically husbanding her resources and retiring outstanding bonds, the city can, with the increasing value of realty, be in position within twenty years to own not only her street railways, but her water works and electric lights, the present franchises for which latter will expire ten years hence. All of these the city should own for the public good, and it should now become the fixed policy of the city government to anticipate this reform by exercising extreme care and caution in expending and denying all long term franchises. The principle of municipal ownership is no longer an experiment but an established formula of good and economical government.

## Diary Leaves From Trinity.

Oh, Mr. Editor, what is going to happen? Messrs. P. H. Brown ditched Thursday, W. R. Cartee dropped corn, and T. M. King plowed and W. B. Smith plowed. Surely we will continue having fair weather.

Well, as we have had so much bad weather, "School Boy" has been having to study his Geometry behind the mule, say his Algebra to the negroes and recite his lessons in general to the farm hands, or, in other words, he is taking lessons by pulling the bell over mules and negroes. Yes, of course, we miss the lovely smiles of school girls, the merry laugh of teachers and the good talks of our English teacher, Miss Roy Nance, but we will make the most of this when we get back again, for after a little work we will study the harder.

Everything is on a boom. The plow boy can be heard from morn 'till night singing his merry song and shouting to his team, while the school girl answers with her sweet melody; then as they see each other, you will notice the old hat go up the handkerchief wave. Surely the happiest hours are spent in the youthful days, for then even the birds and all things seem to bend to the love of a damsel and her beau.

Our school is still holding its own under Miss Oliva's kind hand.

Miss Corrine King spent the day in town Friday buying Spring goods for her father's store, who is doing a flourishing business.

Mr. W. R. Cartee, our chicken man, can take the cake for big fowls. He killed a two-year-old hen that weighed eight pounds after being dressed.

Miss Daisy Caudle, accompanied by Mr. S. P. Finley, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Misses Finley. Miss Daisy is a bewitching young lady of Anderson, and we hope she will call again. "Sumpter" is at home in these parts, and he knows where to come to have a fat time.

Mrs. Sue Fant was buried at this place last Friday. She died at Williamston. She formerly lived here, and her people are buried at Trinity, so she was placed beside them, Rev. Attaway conducting the funeral services.

Our community was saddened by the news of the death of our worthy neighbor, Mr. William A. Finley. He was a man who will be missed by all who knew him, and if he had an enemy no one knew it. The family has the deepest sympathy of the whole community. May God ever bless and deal out His greatest blessing unto them.

C. H. CARTEE.

Slabtown Lodge, A. F. M.

District Deputy Grand Master Furman Smith, of the Seventh District, will make an official visit to Slabtown Lodge, No. 233, A. F. M., on Saturday 21st inst. All the members are urged to attend, as the meeting will be a most interesting one.

D. J. TAYLOR, Sec.

## Holland's Store.

Spring weather has come at last, and our farmers are making good use of the time.

Some of our farmers will plant some cotton this week, but the majority of them will not get started until next week.

Nearly every one has done more or less gardening.

Wheat and oats are showing off nicely, and the prospects for a good crop are flattering.

Considerable sickness prevails in this locality, but nothing of a serious character.

Rev. H. M. Allen did not reach his appointment at Shiloh last Sunday, but his place was ably and acceptably filled by Rev. J. R. Earle.

Rev. Mr. Burgess preached at Ruhmah Sunday afternoon but the meeting at Starr somewhat lessened the congregation.

Among the visitors at Shiloh last Sunday we noticed Mr. J. J. Fretwell and family, of Anderson, and Mr. Clarence Jones, of Roberts.

The fruit is still safe, or, at least, enough for home consumption. Cherries are just now blooming, and if no more cold weather comes we will have plenty.

## Iola News.

The health of our neighborhood is not so good.

Misses Janie and Bessie Wilson are having chills at this writing.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. J. H. Hutchison is some better than she has been.

Miss Mattie Holder has returned from Elberton, Ga. We are glad to see her back again, and we know she won many friends, for she is a charming young girl.

Mr. J. H. Hutchison fell from a wagon and badly hurt his foot, but is better now.

The pastor, Rev. J. F. Singleton, preached an interesting sermon to a large congregation first Sunday in April at Lebanon Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilson have had a very bad time with their little baby, Marie. She has had the croup.

The wheat and oats are looking very well now.

The angel of death has entered the happy home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burress and took their only little babe, Vivian. He was a year and about a month old. The parents have our sympathies in their bereavement.

We fear the fruit is all killed. The cold wind doesn't agree with the fruit, but we are hoping to have good crops this year.

Mr. J. C. Holder has some of the finest new ground land that we ever saw. He is putting his land in good fix with one of these turn plows.

Dr. W. S. Hutchison is kept pretty busy among the sick folks. S. D.

## Flat Rock Items.

Mrs. J. C. Haynie died at her home in this community last Thursday evening. The funeral services were conducted in Flat Rock Presbyterian Church at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon by Rev. J. N. H. Summerell, after which the remains were interred in the churchyard.

Mrs. Haynie was a most excellent Christian woman. She leaves six sons and three daughters, together with a host of friends and relatives to cherish her memory.

Rev. G. M. Rogers preached an excellent sermon at this place last Sabbath.

Mr. Luther Smith worshipped at this place last Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. Press Acker, of the city, worshipped at this place last Sabbath.

Misses Carrie and Jessie Thompson, two of our most charming young ladies, visited the city last Saturday and reported a most enjoyable trip.

Mr. Nery Newell, one of our bright young gentlemen, visits his best girl every week. He means business.

Our peach trees are in full bloom, and we do hope we will have plenty of fruit this year.

Small grain is looking very well, indeed.

May God bless the dear INTELLIGENCER and its many readers.

LEGATOS.

## THE RAINY SEASON

IS OVER probably, and it is well for us to announce that we are prepared to enable our customers to make up LOST TIME and SAVE MONEY. With a jumping market much depends on buying right in order to sell right.

## Seasonable Implements for the Farm

ARE NOW OUR SPECIALTIES.

## COTTON PLANTERS,

Including the Brooks and Dow Law.

## ROMAN HARROWS

## AND CULTIVATORS.

## A PLOW HAME,

Special fitting for any Collar.

## HORSE COLLARS.

A Collar for 75c. Lasts for years. Never galls.

## THE GREAT UNIVERSAL FERTILIZER DISTRIBUTOR.

Opens and distributes at one and the same time.

## HOES, by the Car Load.

## Sullivan Hardware Co.

In Korea a bride must be entirely silent on her marriage day. If she utters a word, or even make a sign, she becomes at once an object of ridicule. Her silence must be absolute, even in her own room, though her husband may tempt her to break it by coaxing, or by taunts and reproaches, for she knows that all the women servants are lurking about and listening, and even the utterance of a single word would be reported by them and she would lose caste forever. Among the highest classes the custom of silence is most rigidly observed. It may be a week or it may be months before a husband ever hears his wife's voice, and even then she speaks no more than is absolutely necessary. With her father-in-law her silence is even stricter, and very often years will pass before she raises her eyes to his or speaks to him a single word.

Pineapple orchards in Florida are under cover. Ten or fifteen acres are planted and a covering about seven feet above the ground is spread over the orchard. This covering, of course, is arranged so that there are openings at certain distances, giving plenty of light and air for the better cultivation of the trees. The covering is to prevent the frost from affecting the orchards. This is but an experiment, but is meeting with a great deal of success.

Forty-eight women graduated last week from the women's law course of the New York University. Twelve of them already own the degree of doctor of medicine. Two others are bachelors of law, while two are bachelors of arts. Chancellor MacCracken of the University, conferred the degrees.

## Merry Makers Carnival at Augusta.

On account Merry Makers Carnival at Augusta, April 23rd to 28th, 1900, the Charleston and Western Carolina Railway will sell tickets from all stations at one fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be on sale April 21st, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, with final return limit April 30th, 1900.

The occasion this year promises to surpass all former efforts. Free amusements and performances on Broad street every day during the week. Make up your parties at once.

W. J. CRAIG,  
General Passenger Agent.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidates' announcements will be published until the Primary Election for Five Dollars—FIVE DOLLARS. Don't ask us to credit you.

## FOR AUDITOR.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for Auditor, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

W. A. HUDGENS.

## MONEY!

WE HAVE MONEY TO LEND on Land in this County on easy terms.

We have some valuable City and Country Real Estate for sale, and can lend a reasonable amount on purchase price of same, if desired.

STANFORD &amp; HOOD, Attorneys.

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## MONEY TO LOAN!

ON REAL ESTATE Long time if security is good.

Fine Farm Lands for Little Money Strong Farms in Pickens for half the price of Anderson lands. Call and see our list of them; will aid buyers to get what they want, and lend them half of purchase money. R. F. MARTIN, Attorney at Law, Mascota Temple, Anderson, S. C.

## NOTICE.

PURSUANT to the power conferred on us by a Commission issued by Hon. M. E. Cooper, Secretary of State, the undersigned will open Books of Subscription to the Capital Stock of the Peoples Furniture Company, at the office of the Peoples Bank at Anderson, S. C., on Thursday, the 12th day of April, 1900, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOS. J. FRETWELL,

BEN. B. BLECKLEY,

N. B. SHARPE,

H. H. WATKINS,

JOE. M. EVANS.

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NOTICE OF Final Settlement.

THE undersigned, Administratrix of Estate of James O. Moore, dec'd, hereby gives notice that she will on the 12th day of May, 1900, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from her office as Administratrix.

MARY A. MOORE, Adm'x.

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## Peoples Bank of Anderson

Moved into their Banking House, and are open for business and respectfully solicits the patronage of the public. Interest paid on time deposits by agreement.

## A QUICK SHOT

To get a bird on the wing!

Everything advancing at such a rapid rate requires quick action and the cash down to get in on the ground floor.

But who, oh, who! had the judgment, the foresight and the cash to plunge in before the advances? Ah, we proclaim to all the world that we are among the happy few. Thousands of dollars put in good staple stuff a long time since enables us to pour out such a volume of Bargains as has never been seen here before. Every purchase you go to make they tell you about the advance, do they? Well, why don't you give us a show and see how little advance there is in fact. (Gracious knows we are glad to serve you even at our low prices.)

Profit, you say? Well, really, there would be no profit at to-day's prices if we had to buy now, but remember we have the stuff bought in large lots before the advances and we divide our good fortune with you.

Do you use China, Glassware, Crockery, Tinware, or have you any use at all for a Trunk, either good or cheap? All these items we bought in car load, and thus had them laid down to us at about what our competitors would have paid for the same goods in the market. Add the difference in cost to the difference in to-day's market, and you see how we make so much difference in our figures.

Remember—"Down with Competition is our Battle Cry." And this is how we do it:

Wool finish Dress Goods at 5c. per yard. A small lot of Outings, good weight, at 4c. and 5c. A good Gingham at 4c., a better one at 5c., and the very best at 6c. All Calicoes 4c. and 5c., none higher. A good quality Towel Crash at 6c. Good Table Damask at 24c. A fair one at 15c. yd. Heavy Domestic Checks at 5c. yd. A good quality and pretty pattern at 4c. yd. In Cheviots we have the best and heaviest weights, prettiest patterns and latest styles at 75c.

If you want a fine Suit for a little money or good Pants at small cost, don't pass us. We mean to sell you if you look at the goods. Buy a Handkerchief and show it to your neighbor—21c., 5c., 8c., 10c., and on to fine Silk for those of fancy turn. All sizes, styles and colors Hose and Half Hose for you—24c. pair, 5c., 7c., 10c., 12c. We can please you sure. Wear our Lined Collars—8c. each, Celluloid Collars at 5c.

Are you half shod? See what we can do for your feet. 10c. to 25c. per pair saved on Shoes is as well for you as anybody. Do you want this money? If so it is yours.

Let us sell you a Tea Set or a Dinner Set, handsomely decorated.

18 piece Decorated Table Set \$1.00.

44 piece Decorated Table Set \$2.99.

58 piece Decorated Table Set \$4.75.

100 piece Decorated Table Set \$7.50.

And finer still at \$8.50 to \$10.00.

See our genuine fine Imported China.

We have Lamps at 10c. to \$5.00 each, and feel sure that you will be pleased and benefited by giving us a look.

We shall be glad to have you trouble us at least long enough to see us and get our prices. If you don't like us, if you don't like our ways, or if you ain't got the cash and have to trade on time you can use us as a lever. You can save money that way if you don't want to trade with us.

Music in the family is a good thing.

It brightens the smiles of the happy and lessens the grief of the troubled heart.

We can help you out from a Jew's Harp to a Guitar, Violin or Banjo with an Accordion thrown in.

If you want the best String and Bows at the lowest price see us.

We have just taken the agency for the wonderful Sousa Band Harp, the best Harmonica ever sold for 25c.

Will sell a few at 20c. to get them started. This is a Harp made with sense. Try one of these and get music without blowing yourself to death.

Now, don't wait until it is too late, and then say we never had all these good things. Remember, a quick shot only gets the bird on the wing.

## WE UNDERBUY.

## WE UNDERSELL.

Yours, always truly,

C. S. MINOR and the

TEN CENTS STORE,

Where Spot Cash does the work.

## FARM LANDS

May just as well be sold during Spring and Summer as in Fall and Winter. No need to wait until crops are made and marketed to "look around." We have a large list of well-selected Farms, and likely have just what you want. We are also answering inquiries every day, and if you have Farm Lands to sell we would likely find the purchaser you are looking for. We can, in most cases, easily adjust any questions that may arise with reference to rent for the year, or interest on purchase money or date of taking possession, and like details. In some cases, if early sale is made, we can offer great inducements in releasing rents to purchaser.

125 acres, near Honea Path, up-to-date condition. Can be bought low now.

165 acres, Fork, bottom price. (40 to 50 acres bottom—good condition.)

100 acres, Fork.

125 acres, Fork.

2500 acres in Oconee. Eleven settlements. Already surveyed into six tracts. Timber valuable.

The above are only a few.

FRIERSON & SHIRLEY,

Peoples Bank Building, Anderson, S. C.

## The Alliance Store!

## A Crowded Week of Easter Bargains.

One week to Easter; a week that will be crowded with opportunities for you in this Store; not a repeating but a production of new and fairer things that speak this big Store's progress. This great Store is a panorama of interest. The banks of Flowers and Millinery effects in the rear room on the right—the House Furnishing Department with its innumerable utensils of Household use in the rear room on the left—the main floor with its Easter Novelties and its suggestions of Spring—the big Men's Wear Departments with its Spring Colorings in Neckwear, in Hosiery and in Clothing—the big Shoe Stock with all that is new in Men's and Women's Shoes, Oxford Ties and Slippers. On the Second Floor the Dress Making Department in charge of the inimitable Miss N. L. White. The Ladies' Ready-made Suit, Skirt and Jacket Department for the sale of which this Store has made itself specially popular. The Carpet, Matting, Oil Cloth, Rug and Lace Curtain Department. This portion of the Store is crowded with all that is useful and beautiful for interior decoration.

## Newest Gloves For Easter.

Everything new in Gloves from over the water. The Colorings are exquisite, stitching the most desirable. Everything in Gloves at interesting prices. Our real Kid Glove, guaranteed, at \$1.00 per pair is a revelation.

## Men's Spring Shoes.

The very newest in Men's Spring and Summer Shoes, in Tan and Black, ready to interest you. So will the prices—\$3.00 and \$3.50 per pair. The exclusive makes of Shoes that we handle is a sufficient guarantee of style and quality.

Mail orders have prompt attention.

Samples sent upon request.

Agents for Butterick Patterns and the Delineator.

Respectfully,

## Julius H. Weil &amp; Co.

## LESSER and COMPANY.

## Mammoth New Spring Stock Now Ready.

WE are ready to show you the largest and most select Stock of New Spring Goods ever displayed by any house in Anderson. We are prepared to please the most fastidious taste.

We are ready when you are! New Spring Goods await you!

The old reliable Store that is loved by all for its trading facilities and methods of doing business, is better prepared to serve you than ever before. We can do it. Each season, during our career of business, has found us moving forward; has found us farther ahead than the season preceding; has found us with larger stocks and better stocks, for the longer we are in business the more we learn how to better them. This season finds us with larger stock than ever. You can always find the correct styles here in larger quantities than elsewhere in the city.

## NEW DRY GOODS.

New Bedford Cords, large variety of patterns, only 5c.  
New Alba Fancies, fast colors, beautiful designs, only 8c.  
New Haute New Fante Wash Goods, very swell, only 9c.  
New Princess Batiste, yard wide, very nobby, exquisite designs, only 11c.  
New Colored Dimities, beautiful cloth, fast colors, only 10c.  
New Colored Organdies, very fine, best goods, only 10c.  
New Colored Lawns, 40 inches wide, beautiful sheer goods, only 11c.  
New Genuine Percales, 36 inches wide, fast colors, only 7c.  
New Madras Cords for Ladies' Shirt Waists, 40 inches wide, sup. quality, 11c.  
New Zephyr Ginghams, warranted fast colors, only 6c.  
New Moline